

**Franklin County  
Noxious Weed**

**2025**

**Annual Eradication  
Progress Report**

# Annual Noxious Weed Eradication Progress Report as required by KSA 2-1316 Franklin County

2025

## Financial Summary

Mill Levy 0.383      County valuation for 2025 \$414,895,488

Beginning Budget Balance 2025 \$323,553.00

Receipts		Expenditures	
Budgeted Carryover	\$66,261.25	Chemical Purchases	\$191,548.94
Chemical Sale	\$163,276.25	Contractual	\$0.00
County Appropriation	\$143,562.52	Equipment Purchases	\$0.00
Equipment	\$1,884.00	Other Commodities	\$34,041.19
Labor	\$0.00	Personnel Services	\$100,971.01
Other Receipts	\$0.00	<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$326,561.14</b>
Reimbursable	\$0.00		
Sales Tax	\$0.00		
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$374,984.02</b>		

ENDING BUDGET BALANCE \$371,975.88

Carryover budget for 2026 \$73,550.00

Capital Outlay Fund			
Beginning Balance	Receipts	Expenditures	Ending Balance
\$75,222.00	\$21,345.76	\$0.00	\$96,567.76

### Purchases

### Noxious Weed Department Personnel

Name	Job Title	% Time Spent on Noxious
Rob Olson	Weed Director	100
Kenny Suffron		100

### Enforcement Summary

Warning Notices	25	Diversion Agreements		Demonstration Plots	0
Legal Notices	5	Accounts to Tax Roll	0	Publish General Notice	1
Court Cases	0	Meetings Sponsored	0	Weed Free Forage Inspection	0

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							Total County Acres	368,640.0
Weed Survey	Private	County	City	Township	State	Federal	Acres (est)	
Field Bindweed	403.2	864.0					1,267.2	
Johnsongrass	230.4	345.6					576.0	
Musk Thistle	489.6	633.6					1,123.2	
Other	57.6	172.8					230.4	
Sericea Lespedeza	633.6	921.6					1,555.2	
Teasel	172.8	662.4					835.2	
<b>Total Acres</b>	<b>1,987.2</b>	<b>3,600.0</b>					<b>5,587.2</b>	

Treatment Summary	Private	County	City	Township	State	Federal	Voucher	Acres
Bare Ground	0.0	5.0						5.0
Field Bindweed	50.0							50.0
Johnsongrass	5,596.8	38.0						5,634.8
Multiflora Rose	10.0							10.0
Musk Thistle	11,167.3	32.7						11,200.0
Sericea Lespedeza	5,906.0	-48.0						5,858.0
Teasel	18.0							18.0
<b>Total Acres</b>	<b>22,748.1</b>	<b>27.7</b>						<b>22,775.8</b>

Treatment Cost	Amount
Chemical Sale	\$163,276.25
Tank Mix	\$0.00
Equipment	\$1,740.00
Labor	\$0.00
<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>\$165,016.25</b>

Herbicide Disbursement	Purchase Price	Department Rate	Private Rate	Total
2-4 D	\$17.20	\$17.20	\$17.20	2157.5 gal
Aminopyralid	\$72.00	\$72.00	\$72.00	150 qt
Aminopyralid	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	2.5 gal
Glyphosate	\$11.60	\$11.60	\$11.60	1362.5 gal
Picloram	\$44.00	\$44.00	\$44.00	315 gal
Triclopyr	\$44.00	\$44.00	\$44.00	316 gal
Triclopyr + Fluroxypyr	\$91.00	\$91.00	\$91.00	511 gal

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The weed supervisor shall make annual surveys of noxious weed infestations and ascertain the approximate amount of land and highway or any kind of right-of-way infested with each kind of noxious weed and its location in the county not later than October 31 of each year. The weed supervisor shall compile data on areas eradicated and under treatment and any other data the secretary may deem necessary and submit, by March 15 of each year, an annual weed eradication progress report for the preceding calendar year to the board of county commissioners for their approval and then to the secretary for review. By March 15 of each year, the weed supervisor shall prepare and submit a management plan for the coming year to the board of county commissioners for approval and to the secretary for review.

We certify that Rob Olson is employed as Franklin County Noxious Weed Director for 2026

We approve the Annual Eradication Progress Report for Franklin County Noxious Weed Program for 2025

County Noxious Weed Director	Date	Chairman, Board of County Commissioners	Date
County Commissioner	Date	County Commissioner	Date
County Commissioner	Date	County Commissioner	Date

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### Field Bindweed

Surveys - Acres Infested	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Acres
Private wooded area									1.0				1.0
Private urban									3.0				3.0
Private rural urban									1.0				1.0
Private hay meadow									1.0				1.0
Private Corn									1.0				1.0
County									15.0				15.0
<b>Acres Infested</b>									<b>22.0</b>				<b>22.0</b>

### Survey Calculations

	Infested Acres	Acres Surveyed	County Acres	Calculated Acres	Director's Adjustment	Estimated Acres	Note
Private Other	6.0	6400	368640	345.6	0.0	345.6	
Private Corn	1.0			57.6	0.0	57.6	
County	15.0			864.0	0.0	864.0	
<b>Total Estimated Acreage</b>	<b>22.0</b>			<b>1267.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1267.2</b>	

### Enforcement Summary

Notification "C"	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Totals
Legal Notice													0
Warning Notice													0
Service Legal Notice													0
BINDWEED LETTER						1							0
BINDWEED WARNING NOTICE							1						1

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### Johnsongrass

Surveys - Acres Infested	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Acres
Private wooded area									3.0				3.0
Private urban									1.0				1.0
County									6.0				6.0
<b>Acres Infested</b>									<b>10.0</b>				<b>10.0</b>

Survey Calculations	Infested Acres	Acres Surveyed	County Acres	Calculated Acres	Director's Adjustment	Estimated Acres	Note
Private Other	4.0	6400	368640	230.4	0.0	230.4	
County	6.0			345.6	0.0	345.6	
<b>Total Estimated Acreage</b>	<b>10.0</b>			<b>576.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>576.0</b>	

### Enforcement Summary

Notification "C"	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Totals
Legal Notice													0
Warning Notice													0
Service Legal Notice													0
JOHNSONGRASS LETTER						3		1					4
Johnsongrass Warning						1		1					2
Johnsongrass Legal Notice								2					2

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### Musk Thistle

Surveys - Acres Infested	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Acres
Private wooded area									1.0				1.0
Private urban									1.0				1.0
Private Pasture									3.5				3.5
Private hay meadow									3.0				3.0
County									11.0				11.0
<b>Acres Infested</b>									<b>19.5</b>				<b>19.5</b>

### Survey Calculations

	Infested Acres	Acres Surveyed	County Acres	Calculated Acres	Director's Adjustment	Estimated Acres	Note
Private Pasture	3.5	6400	368640	201.6	0.0	201.6	
Private Other	5.0			288.0	0.0	288.0	
County	11.0			633.6	0.0	633.6	
<b>Total Estimated Acreage</b>	<b>19.5</b>			<b>1123.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1123.2</b>	

### Enforcement Summary

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Totals
Notification "C"													0
Legal Notice							1	1					2
Warning Notice						6	2						8
Service Legal Notice							1						1
General Notification "B"						12							12
Warning Notice "D"						4							4
MOW LETTER						10							10

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### Other

Surveys - Acres Infested	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Acres
Private Corn									1.0				1.0
County									3.0				3.0
<b>Acres Infested</b>									<b>4.0</b>				<b>4.0</b>

### Survey Calculations

Private Corn	Infested Acres	Acres Surveyed	County Acres	Calculated Acres	Director's Adjustment	Estimated Acres	Note
County	1.0	6400	368640	57.6	0.0	57.6	
	3.0			172.8	0.0	172.8	
<b>Total Estimated Acreage</b>	<b>4.0</b>			<b>230.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>230.4</b>	

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### Sericea Lespedeza

Surveys - Acres Infested	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Acres
Private wooded area													
Private urban									3.0				3.0
Private Pasture									2.0				2.0
Private hay meadow									3.0				3.0
Private Corn									1.0				1.0
County									2.0				2.0
<b>Acres Infested</b>									16.0				16.0
									27.0				27.0

Survey Calculations	Infested Acres	Acres Surveyed	County Acres	Calculated Acres	Director's Adjustment	Estimated Acres	Note
Private Pasture	3.0	6400	368640	172.8	0.0	172.8	
Private Other	6.0			345.6	0.0	345.6	
Private Corn	2.0			115.2	0.0	115.2	
County	16.0			921.6	0.0	921.6	
<b>Total Estimated Acreage</b>	27.0			1555.2	0.0	1555.2	

### Enforcement Summary

Notification "C"	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Totals
Legal Notice													0
Warning Notice													0
Sericea Legal Notice													0
SERICEA LETTER								1					1
SERICEA WARNING NOTICE						8	1	1					10
SERICEA FOLLOW-UP LETTER						4	1						5
								1					1

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### Teasel

Surveys - Acres Infested	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Acres
Private wooded area									1.0				1.0
Private urban									0.0				0.0
Private Pasture									1.0				1.0
Private Corn									1.0				1.0
County									11.5				11.5
<b>Acres Infested</b>									<b>14.5</b>				<b>14.5</b>

### Survey Calculations

	Infested Acres	Acres Surveyed	County Acres	Calculated Acres	Director's Adjustment	Estimated Acres	Note
Private Pasture	1.0	6400	368640	57.6	0.0	57.6	
Private Other	1.0			57.6	0.0	57.6	
Private Corn	1.0			57.6	0.0	57.6	
County	11.5			662.4	0.0	662.4	
<b>Total Estimated AVERAGE</b>	<b>14.5</b>			<b>835.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>835.2</b>	

### Enforcement Summary

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Totals
Notification "C"													0
Legal Notice													0
Warning Notice													0
Service Legal Notice													0
Teasel Letter						2	4						6
Teasel Warning Notice						1	1	3					5



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## Treatment Summary Worksheet

### Field Bindweed

2020

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Type of Land Treated	Private	City	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Treated Acres	
Pasture	50							50	
<b>Total Acres</b>	50							50	
<b>Treatment Cost</b>	Private	City	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Total Cost	
Chemical Sale	\$375.00							\$375.00	
Equipment Cost	\$0.00							\$0.00	
Labor Cost	\$0.00							\$0.00	
<b>Total Cost</b>	\$375.00							\$375.00	
<b>Cost Per Acre</b>	\$7.50								
<b>Herbicide Disbursement</b>	Private	City	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Total	Total Cost
Glyphosate	12.5							12.5 gal	\$145.00
Isocetyl	2.5							2.5 gal	\$48.00
Triclopyr + Fluroxypyr	2							2 gal	\$182.00
									\$375.00

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### Johnsongrass

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Type of Land Treated	Private	County	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Treated Acres
County	10							10
Pasture	5586.8				38			38
<b>Total Acres</b>	5596.8				38			5586.8
<b>Total</b>								<b>5634.8</b>
Treatment Cost	Private	County	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Total Cost
Chemical Sale	\$20,585.00							\$20,585.00
Tank Mix								\$0.00
Equipment Cost	\$140.00							\$140.00
Labor Cost	\$0.00							\$0.00
<b>Total Cost</b>	\$20,725.00							<b>\$20,725.00</b>
<b>Cost Per Acre</b>	\$3.70							

Herbicide Disbursement	Private	County	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Total	Total Cost
2-4 D dye	7.5							7.5 gal	\$96.00
dye	8							8 qt	\$192.00
Glyphosate	3				1			4 gal	\$171.00
Sulfosulfuron	1302.5				-2.5			1300 gal	\$15,109.00
SURFACTANT	380				20			400 oz	\$4,332.00
Triclopyr	16							16 gal	\$149.00
Triclopyr + Fluroxypyr	2							2 gal	\$88.00
	1							1 gal	\$91.00
<b>Total</b>									<b>\$20,228.00</b>

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 Multiflora Rose

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Type of Land Treated	Private	City	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Treated Acres
Pasture	10							10
<b>Total Acres</b>	10							10
<b>Treatment Cost</b>	Private	City	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Total Cost
Chemical Sale	\$57.00							\$57.00
Equipment Cost	\$0.00							\$0.00
Labor Cost	\$0.00							\$0.00
<b>Total Cost</b>	\$57.00							\$57.00
<b>Cost Per Acre</b>	\$5.70							

Herbicide Disbursement	Private	City	Township	State	County	Federal	Voucher	Total	Total Cost
2-4 D Dry	8							8 oz	\$13.00
Isocetyl	2.5							2.5 gal	\$34.00
									\$47.00